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April 24, 2002

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. David Waddell, Executive Secretary
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
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Re: *Generic Docket to Establish UNE Prices for Line Sharing per FCC 99-355 and Riser Cable and Terminating Wire as Ordered in TRA Docket No. 98-00123*
Docket No. 00-00544

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed are the original and thirteen copies of BellSouth's Motion for Extension of Time to Respond to Deica Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad Communications Company's Petition for Clarification and United Telephone-Southeast, Inc. and Sprint Communications Company, L.P. Joint Petition for Reconsideration and Clarification. Copies of the enclosed are being provided to counsel of record.

Cordially,

Joelle Phillips

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Enclosure

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
Nashville, Tennessee

In Re: *Generic Docket to Establish UNE Prices for Line Sharing per FCC 99-355 and Riser Cable and Terminating Wire as Ordered in TRA Docket No. 98-00123*

Docket No. 00-00544

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.'S
MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO
DEICA COMMUNICATIONS, INC. d/b/a COVAD
COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY'S PETITION FOR CLARIFICATION
AND
UNITED TELEPHONE-SOUTHEAST, INC. AND
SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY, L.P.
JOINT PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION AND CLARIFICATION

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") files this motion to extend the period of time to respond to the motions filed by Deica Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad Communications and by United Telephone-Southeast, Inc., and Sprint Communications Company, L.P. Both motions were served on BellSouth by regular mail, and BellSouth did not receive service of these documents until Friday afternoon, April 19, 2002. Given the timing of delivery, BellSouth was not able to circulate these documents for review until Monday, April 22, 2002. BellSouth requires additional time to review Covad's motion and prepare a response and would respectfully a short extension of the time provided under the TRA Rules to respond to the motions until Monday, April 29, 2002.

BellSouth has contacted counsel for the movants, and neither party objects to the extension of time to respond to these motions.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on April 24, 2002, a copy of the foregoing document was served on the parties of record, via the method indicated:

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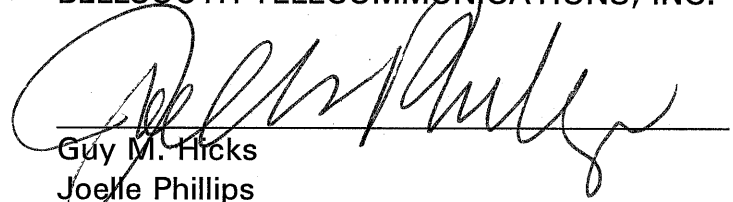
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